SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 191

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to recognize Austin Johnson on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young men and women with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training, and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Scout can attain in the Boy Scouts of America Scouts
BSA program is that of Eagle Scout, and Austin Johnson of Cocke County, after considerable
effort and diligent preparation, recently joined the prestigious Eagle Court; and

WHEREAS, currently in his senior year at Cocke County High School, Mr. Johnson joined the BSA as a Webelo and has remained steadfast and assiduous in his responsibilities to the program; and

WHEREAS, he is a member of Troop 77, based out of First United Methodist Church in Dandridge; his notable record of achievement as a Boy Scout includes distinguished service as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, for his Eagle Scout project, Austin Johnson built and stocked a blessing box outside of Eagle View Community Church with non-perishable food items and toiletries. The box was built to serve the community, and thanks to Mr. Johnson, will be able to do so throughout the months and years ahead; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Austin Johnson for his contributions to the betterment of his community and his unwavering display of true volunteerism; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF

REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Austin Johnson on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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